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U.S. Patent Documents - No., Date, Name

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Foreign Patent Documents - No., Date, Country

1 394 303 May 7, 1988 Russia

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Publications - Author, Title, Date, Pages, Place

None

The above-mentioned references were cited in a European Standard Search Report with respect to the European application from which priority is claimed. A copy of the Report is enclosed.

A copy of each of the foreign references and a Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith. It is requested that each of the references be fully considered and made of record in this case.

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